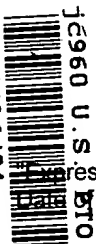


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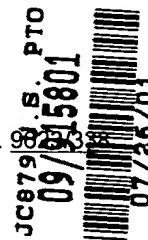
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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Thomas A. Soulanille and Darren J. Davis for: IMPROVED SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INFLUENCING A POSITION ON A SEARCH RESULT LIST GENERATED BY A COMPUTER NETWORK SEARCH ENGINE. Enclosed are:

- ☒ 13 sheet(s) of drawings, 52 pages of application (including title page), and the following Appendices: two identical compact discs marked COPY 1 and COPY 2 and having a CD-R appendix containing computer source code in IBM-PC format compatible with MS-Windows operating system; a list of the 22,808 files contained on the compact discs is provided in a file at the top directory level of each compact disc in a file called "dir_s".
- ☒ Declaration.
- ☒ Power of Attorney.
- ☐ Verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27.
- ☒ Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to: GoTo.com, Inc.
- ☒ Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.183 and check for \$130.00 for the petition fee under 37 CFR. § 1.17(h).

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